

Upcoming Events:

Life Stories: Mary Louise Luck is offering another session where she will help you to write your life story. If you want more information, sign the sheet at the back table or you can contact Mary Louise at 450-7021

Book Study: Rev. Rick will be offering 2 Book Studies this fall. If you are interested, there will be a sign up sheet at the back table & choice of books. Please sign your name with the desired book.

Layreaders Training: There will be a training session on Saturday, September 23, from 10am to 12pm. Registration is at 9:30am. Located at St. Margaret’s Church, Lepreau, across from the Irving Oil store. Title of session – **Basic Guidelines for Developing Intercessory Prayers of the People.** Register on line.

Cathedral Outreach Ministry: This ministry begins again this month, September 25th. Your donations of sandwiches, muffins, fruit, cheese, or yogurt are appreciated for this important ministry. Please bring your donations to the church on Sunday, September 24th.

Monthly Breakfast Fundraiser: our monthly fundraiser is starting up on Saturday, September 30th, from 8:30-10am. The menu will be Scrambled eggs, pancakes, sausages, baked beans, juice, tea & coffee, all for a free will offering. There will be a sheet on the back table for volunteers to help Friday and Saturday morning & for monetary donations.

Bridge Luncheon: St. Margaret’s ACW will be holding a Bridge Luncheon on Thursday, October 19, from 12 – 3pm. This has been a very successful fundraiser and is not possible without the generous help from the parishioners with sandwiches & sweets and time preparing & working at the luncheon. Expect a call in late September for assistance.

**Special Ministries Next Sunday
September 24, 2017**

8:30 a.m.
Lay Reader: Faith Cormier

10:30 a.m.
First Lesson: Sandy McCarty
Second Lesson: Brian McCarty
Lay Readers: Bob Boucher
Jeffrey Mills
Prayer Desk: Peggy Boucher
Sidespersons: Patty Flemming
Sylvia Woodcock
Counters: Jeffrey Mills
Nancy Wiggins
Chancel Guild: Carolyn Pellow
Sunday School: Cynthia Noble

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Parish Health Ministry Coordinator: Faith Cormier
Music Ministry: Deborah Smith
Parish Wardens: Ken Brien, Bob Boucher
Parish Treasurer: Jeffrey Mills

**Services and Readings for Next Sunday:
September 24, 2017
16th after Pentecost (Year A)**

8:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist
10:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist

Exodus 16: 2-15	OT Pages 62-63
Psalms 105: 1-6, 37-45	BAS Pages 847-848
Philippians 1: 21-30	NT Pages 196-197
Matthew 20: 1-16	NT Pages 21-22



Sunday, September 17, 2017

St. Margaret’s Anglican Church Welcomes You

Let peace surround you as you sit or kneel quietly. Let the hurry and worry of your life fall away from you. You are God’s child. He loves and cares for you. He is here with you –and always. Give yourself time for Him. Have a happy day and may God bless you.

SUNDAY SERVICE

8:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist: BAS Page 230
10:30am: Holy Eucharist: BAS Page 185

**Special Ministries Today
September 17, 2017**

8:30 a.m.
Lay Reader: Nancy Robinson

10:30 a.m.
First Lesson: Bob Boucher
Second Lesson: Peggy Boucher
Lay Readers: Cathy Lutes
Polly Brooks
Prayer Desk: Ken Brien
Sidespersons: Wendy Chase
Volunteer
Counters: Carl Dunphy
Brenda Dunphy
Chancel Guild: Cathy Lutes
Sunday School: Cynthia Noble

The Holy Eucharist

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

♪ HYMN SP 239
“They’ll Know We Are Christians”
Greeting Page 185
♪ “As We Are Gathered”
Collect for Purity (*All*) Page 185
Glory To God (sung) Page 186
Kyrie Eleison Page 186

Collect: *All together, please*
Almighty God,
you call your Church to witness
that in Christ we are reconciled to you.
Help us so to proclaim the good news of your
love, that all who hear it may turn to you;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy
Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

The Proclamation of the Word

📖 **1st Lesson:** Exodus 14: 19-31 OT Page 61
Following the reading of each lesson:
Reader: The Word of the Lord.
All: **Thanks be to God.**
Psalms: 114 BAS Page 862

📖 **2nd Lesson:** Romans 14: 1-12 NT Page 163

♪ **Gradual Hymn** SP 218
“Jesus I Love You”

📖 **Holy Gospel:** Matthew 18: 21-35 NT Page 20

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus

Christ according to St. Matthew:

All stand for the reading of the Gospel

People: **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

At the conclusion of the Gospel, the reader says:

The Gospel of Christ.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Children's Story – Peggy Boucher

♪♪ **Children's Hymn** HB 123

“Jesus Loves Me”

Children can join Cynthia for Sunday School.

Sermon

Creed

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THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

(Let us offer our prayers to the source of all love and all life, saying, “Lord, hear our prayer.”)

Merciful Lord, we pray for all who call themselves Christians: that we may become a royal priesthood, a holy nation, to the praise of Christ Jesus our Saviour,

Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for David our bishop, and for all bishops and other ministers: that they may remain faithful to their calling and rightly proclaim the word of truth.

Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for Elizabeth our Queen, for the leaders of the nations, and all in authority: that your people may lead quiet and peaceable lives.

Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for Fredericton and those who live here, the poor and the rich, the elderly and the young, men and women: that you will show your goodwill to all.

Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for the victims of our society and those who minister to them: that you will be their help and defence,

Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for those preparing for baptism, (for those previously baptized): that they may be strengthened in the faith.

Lord, hear our prayer.

We give thanks for all the saints who have found favour in your sight from earliest times, prophets, apostles, martyrs, and those whose names are known to you alone: and we pray that we too may be counted among your faithful witnesses.

Lord, hear our prayer.

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Announcements

Those who prefer to not drink from the chalice (common cup) are asked to indicate that to the administrator of the host. The host will be intincted (dipped) for you.

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another as I have loved you.

John 13:34

♪♪ **OFFERTORY HYMN** MP 212

“Have Thine Own Way Lord”

The Prayer over the Gift

Holy God,

accept all we offer you this day.

May we who are reconciled at this table

bring wholeness to our broken world.

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

Amen

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer #2

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The Lord's Prayer

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The Breaking of the Bread #2

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♪♪ COMMUNION HYMN

Instrumental

The Prayer after Communion

God of peace,

in this eucharist we have been reconciled

to you and to our neighbours.

May we who have been nourished by holy things

always have the courage to forgive.

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

Amen.

DOXOLOGY

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♪♪ **FINAL HYMN** HB 175

“Fight the Good Fight”

DISMISSAL

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DISMISSAL SONG “Send Us Out”

“For the comfort of all attending services, please observe our scent – free policy.”

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today

√ We welcome all visiting with us today, and invite you to stay for coffee and conversation.

9:30a.m. – **Choir Practise**

This Week

√ Tuesday

9:00 a.m. – **Coffee Club:** Cards, crafts and conversation. All welcome.

12:00p.m. – **Corn boil & pot luck lunch**

1:30p.m. – **Bible Study:** Book of Hebrews

√ Wednesday

9:30a.m.-11:30a.m. – **Parents & Tots**

1st St. Margaret's Scouting Group

Adult Volunteer

Looking for a great organization to become involved in? Go on interesting adventures? Learn new skills? Make a difference in kids' lives?

1st St. Margaret's Scouting Group is looking for adult volunteers to work with our Beaver Colony (ages 5-7) and our Scout Troop (ages 11-14). We are also looking for volunteers to serve on our Group Committee which supports our program sections at monthly meetings. There are a variety of opportunities available: Regular full-time volunteers, part-time or occasional volunteers, Group Committee Members.

We have a spot for you, regardless of the amount of time you have to give. No prior experience required & training is provided. For further info, please contact Peter Kent, Group Commissioner, at 453-0919 or kent@unb.ca.

First Meetings for Scout Groups:

Scouts – September 11

Cubs – September 13

Beavers – September 20

Venturers – to be decided (contact Peter Kent)

1st York-Sunbury Ranger: First meeting will be September 18.
